## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

PLASTIC OMNIUM AUTO INERGY INDUSTRIAL SA de CV,

Plaintiff,	No. 21-11141
v. MCC DEVELOPMENT, INC., and ANTHONY BUFFA,	Honorable Nancy G. Edmunds Magistrate Judge Elizabeth A. Stafford
Defendants.	<i>!</i>

## ORDER ACCEPTING AND ADOPTING MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION [147]

This matter is before the Court on the Magistrate Judge's August 10, 2023 Report and Recommendation. (ECF No. 147.) The Magistrate Judge recommends that the Plaintiff Plastic Omnium Auto Inergy Industrial SA de CV's motion for injunctive relief and appointment of a receiver be GRANTED. (ECF No. 132.) Neither party filed objections and the time for doing so has expired. "[T]he failure to object to the magistrate judge's report[] releases the Court from its duty to independently review the matter." Hall v. Rawal, 09-10933, 2012 WL 3639070, at \*1 (E.D. Mich. Aug. 24, 2012) (citing Thomas v. Arn, 474 U.S. 140 (1985)). Nevertheless, the Court reviewed the Magistrate Judge's report and finds it agrees with the Magistrate Judge's reasoning and conclusions. The Court therefore ACCEPTS and ADOPTS the Magistrate Judge's report and recommendation (ECF No. 147) and GRANTS Plaintiff's Motion.

In doing so, the following relief is ordered: (1) the fraudulent transfers to

Endeavor Infrastructure, Endeavor Capital, and Sunshine Transport (together, the

"affiliated companies") are **HEREBY VOIDED** and funds up to the amount of judgment

are hereby ordered returned; (2) the affiliated companies are HEREBY ENJOINED from

transferring funds until the judgment is satisfied; (3) Plaintiff may secure a receiver who

is **HEREBY AUTHORIZED** to preside over the assets of MCC Development, Inc.,

Anthony Buffa, and the affiliated companies; the costs of the receiver shall be paid initially

by Plaintiff and Plaintiff shall be reimbursed these costs by Defendants before the

receivership is terminated<sup>1</sup>; **(4)** Defendants are **HEREBY ENJOINED** from transferring or

using any funds until the judgment is satisfied; and (5) Defendants are HEREBY

**COMPELLED** to produce the information described in the final two pages of Plaintiff's

motion.

Defendants are hereby put on notice that failure to comply with this Order

will likely result in a finding of civil contempt, fines, and/or jail time.

SO ORDERED.

s/ Nancy G. Edmunds

Nancy G. Edmunds

United States District Judge

Dated: June 28, 2023

<sup>1</sup> See Liberte Capital Grp., LLC v. Capwill, 462 F.3d 543, 551 (6th Cir. 2006) ("A district court enjoys broad equitable powers to appoint a receiver over assets disputed in litigation before the court. The receiver's role, and the district court's purpose in the appointment, is to safeguard the disputed assets, administer the property as suitable, and to assist the district court in achieving a final, equitable distribution of the assets if necessary.")

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I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing document was served upon counsel of record on August 28, 2023, by electronic and/or ordinary mail.

s/Lisa Bartlett Case Manager